## **ABSTRACT**

A frame for a cathode ray tube is provided which includes a main frame for fixing a shadow mask, and a subframe for supporting the main frame, thereby supporting the shadow mask with a tension applied thereto. The subframe has a protruded part that extends toward the shadow mask for minimizing deformation of the main frame caused by the tension on the shadow mask, the subframe being symmetric in left and right directions with respect to a center of the subframe.

